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L. Raghunatha Rao

Part B. for

SUBJECT.

Jewels purchased from Messrs Ranganatha Jawher & Sons for H. H. the Maharaja's Marriage. Bills for and payment for the same.

SC1 22-D.C. dy 3-8-00 To the Comptr
Requests the Comptr to pay Messrs Ranganatha Jawher & Sons the sum of Rs 3,97,132,-1-9 debiting the same to the Civil List grant for the Current year.

✓ 122/D.C dy 21-9-00 To the Palace Controller

C2 G. R. S. 58
forwards Copy of SC1.

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Ngaire.
31 July 1900

My dear Sir,

I beg to enclose, by command of H.H. the Maharaja Regent, Ramaswamy Thé Kuris bill for the jewels purchased, the net amount due being Rs 39,713 2-1-9.

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Ajit Singh
Ajit Singh
Ajit Singh

Gen. Sir [illegible] of [illegible]. 35 1900

I have informed them that
the bill has been forwarded to
you for disposal.

I trust this will find you
quite recovered, and remain,
Yours Sincerely,
[illegible]

Rājya Duraṇdhara
Sir K. Shāshana Das. KC &c

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Madras, 28 July 1900.

The Chief Secretary of
Mysore Government

Given in June 1/8/1900

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T. R. Tawker & Sons

DIAMOND MERCHANTS and Manufacturing Jewellers, MADRAS.

Rs.

Jewels made to order and taken by Palace during H.H. the Maha Rajahs marriage

To one fine necklace of quite a chaine design set with brilliants, emeralds, emerald drops and fine pearls. 17 emeralds well selected finish water old mine weighing 47 11/16 cts @ 450/-	21459 6	
15 fine emeralds lolaks or drops with 45 Rose diamonds in caps for same	4600.	
56 very fine pearls as Chuck hangings, two emerald beads and 18 pearls in the strings at the back of the ornament.	3443. 12	
160 Brilliants weighing about 55 1/4 cts @ 250/-	13812 8.	43315 10

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To brought forward		43315 10
One Emerald Cadohillai set with very fine selected emeralds ground to required size, set quite close together fancy setting and quite a regular work of art		
33 Emeralds Wt 35½ cts @ 300/-	10650 . .	
1 Brilliant . 7/16 cts @ 300/-	2118 12 .	
32 " . 14 9/16 . @ 200/-	2912 8 .	
Gold mounting	350 . . .	16031 4
One Daboo or Oodyanam set with fine cut rubies, brilliants and emeralds with a braided gold band at back with an arrangement to shorten or lengthen at pleasure and to reduce the size of the ornament itself at will. The diamonds all worked set in claws		
161 cut rubies Wt 57 7/16 cts	3500 . . .	
Carried over	3500 . . .	59346 14 .

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To brought forward	3500 .	59346 14
One Doboo or Oodyanam (cont'd)		
9 Emeralds wt 22 cts	3500 .	
338 first water brilliants 80 1/32	1620 .	
Gold for Oodyanam, gold for band, making charges	5000 . .	28200
One pair Thodus or Kummals set with the first water and best modern cut brilliants		
14 Brilliants wt 7½ cts @ 225/-	1687 8 .	
Gold mounting	60 . .	1747 8
One Nathen set with first water brilliants made to special design, with fine selected pearls attached to same.		
9 Brilliants wt 4 3/4 31/64 cts @ 250/-	1199 3 6	
15 Pearls including three in the bunch at top	1800 . .	
1 Emerald bead 2 ruby beads	85 . .	
Gold mounting	165 . .	3249 3 6
		92543 9 6

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To brought forward			92573 9 6
Two Mangalyams and four Gundus set with brilliants emeralds + cut rubies of first water specially selected stones set quite massive + close			
137 Brilliants w^t 21 7/8 cts @ 200/-	4375 - -		
49 Cut rubies 13 11/16 cts 1/64 @ 35/-	479 9 9		
1 Emerald - 2 1/2	1500 - -		
1 do - 3/8	30 - -		
1 Ruby 2 1/4	1500 - -		
Gold and mounting	350 - -		8234 9 9
One pair Chandra Kumugi set with first water old mine brilliants made to special size and shape with fine genuine pearl hangings			
18 Brilliants w^t 18 3/4 cts @ 300/-	5625 - -		
4 do - 1/4 @ 140/-	35 - -		
4 Cut rubies - 3/8 1/32 @ 25/-	10 2 6		
18 genuine pearls	1450 - -		
Gold mounting	125 - -		7245 2 6
			108023 5 9

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2 Impressions			108023 5 9
One Rose screw set with a fine blue white Brilliant of first water best cut fancy stone			
Brilliant wt 1 7/16 1/64 ct. @ 700/-	1017 3 .		
Setting charges only - mount belonging to Palace	5 . .		1022 3
One Padacara of neat and clean design set with one mo of best selected fancy cut, pure white Roses, fine selected Emeralds cut rubies & Brilliants			
22 Roses wt 39 1/2 ct. @ 160/-	6242 8 .		
1 Cut Emerald - 3 3/16 "	1750 . .		
46 Emeralds " 13 1/2 " @ 75/-	1012 8 .		
58 Brilliants " 16 1/2 " @ 180/-	2970 . .		
Gold work	450 . .		12425 .
Carried over			121470 8 9

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To brought forward		121470 8 9
One Kalgi Serpash & Head Ornament of most exquisite and chaste design set with brilliants of first water, very fine emeralds ground to size and shape, one finest pair of brilliant drops and pear shaped diamond drops, blue white old golkanda mine fine emerald drops and old Deccan drops. three very large Brilliants		
1 Brilliant Wt abt 19 cts fine white colour @	11400	
1 do " 13 " @ 300/-	3900	
13 " " 29 " @ 350/-	10150	
23 old mine superior fine colour emeralds	2700	
91 Brilliants first water best quality select Brilliants abt 23 cts @ 250	8250	
One pair fine well matched best cut old golkandah mine violet of blue white colour a very matchless pair wt abt 14 cts @ 700/-	9800	
	46200	121470 8 9

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To brought forward	46200	-	121470 8 9
One Kalgy Serpash (antiq) one blue white old fashioned pear shaped Brilliant of first water very rare about 7 cts @ 800/-	5600	-	
8 Old Indian Brooch drops	4500	-	
4 " Brilliant color Emerald drops	3200	-	
2 very fine pear rich Ruby heads	750	-	
Pearl string containing abt 180 pearls	750	-	
Gold work	1500	-	62500
One pair Tiara Kees set with select brilliants of first water made to shape and size with genuine pearls hangings			
12 Brilliants wt 22 3/16 cts @ 250/-	5546	14	
24 " " 2 4/16 @ 130/-	3496	-	
24 Pearls 39 13/16	1200	-	
Gold making	150	-	7246 4
Carried over			19121612 9

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To brought forward			19126 12 9
One Rakadi of big Sadakkai made to required size and shape set with a large collection of fine Emeralds, first water brilliants, fine cut rubies and one large fancy cut Rose Diamond of first water.			
104 Brilliants wg abt 38 cts @ 180		6840	
1 Rose diamond		850	
16 Cut Rubies wg 4 1/4 1/32 cts		214 1	
40 Emeralds		10500	
Gold making		800	19204
Carried over			210420 13 9

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T. R. Tawker & Sons

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Rs.

210420 13. 9

To be got forward
Jewels selected by Her
Highness during H.H.
The Maha Raja's marriage

One necklace containing
13 (thirteen) large cobshon rubies
12 (twelve) large brilliants set
alternately 25 (twenty five) large
pearls 25 (twenty five) small
brilliants above the diamond
hangings 25 (twenty five) Diamond
hangings studded with about
48 small brilliants and with a
back print containing 30 (thirty)
fine cut-rubies and 30 (thirty)
small brilliants

25 500

One necklace set with rich colored
emeralds an unusual collection
of large sized stones with fine
large round pearls in between
and unusually large
size pearl hangings

258920 13 9

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To brought forward		238920 13 9
One Necklace (worth) with emerald drops alternative used as hangings in the corner portion of the ornament		
13 Emeralds old mine of first water wt 76 11/16 cts. @ 500/-	38031 4 .	
30 Brilliants 14/32 @ 180/-	2525 10 .	
13 Emerald leaves with caps set with abt 83 Roses	6200 . .	
48 Pearls	3800 . .	
Gold mounting	650 . .	56206 14
One Ring set with a very fine select Brilliant of first water blue white of best Victoria cut		
1 Brilliant wt 6cts @ 850/-	5100 . .	
Gold mounting	35 . .	5135 .
Carried over		300262 11 9

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		Rs.	a.	p.
To Invoice forward		300262	11	9
One Hoop Ring set with best cut first water Brilliant				
1 Brilliant wt 2 13/16 cts @ 400/-	1125			
2 " 2 1/8 1/32 . 350/-	842	3		
4 Sparks 1/8 @ 120/-	15			
Gold mounting	50			
		2032	3	
One pair of Bracelets set with 148 Choice Brilliants in two rows in fancy cuive pattern		5500		
One pair of Bajpband set with very fine choice Emeralds of very good color and select Brilliants and unusually good collection gold mine Emeralds				
30 Choice Emeralds wt 49 11/16 cts 30/-	1496	4		
144 Brilliants . 25 3/16 @ 165/-	4155	15		
Gold mounting	850			
		19912	3	
Carried over		327707	1	9

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MADRAS.

To bought forward			327707 1 9
One Breast-Ornament or fancy necklace containing in centre a scroll worked into in scroll pattern with very fine choice Brilliants and first water emerald in centre, fine rich velvet colour rubies fine superior emerald drops cut to shape, one row of Brilliants setting collet in each side intercepted with fine emeralds set in collet, two rows of pearl strings with emerald heads in each side with a very rare fine grey white heart pear shaped pearl drilled & fine old mine rich coloured pierced emerald hanging			
5 Brilliants wt	5½ cts	@ 350/-	1925 - -
4 Emeralds	4 6/16	@ 400/-	1825 - -
1 do	10½	@ 550/-	5637 8 -
			18387 8 -
			327707 1 9

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To brought forward		9387 8 -	327707 1 9
One Breast Ornament cut			
one Emerald wt 4 1/4 ct @ 350/-		1487 8 -	
6 pear shaped emeralds and 2 pear shaped pearls		5500 - -	
1 pair Emerald pierced drops		4500 - -	
1 rare grey white pearl		18500 - -	
504 Brilliants wt 56 7/8 cts			
204 @ 250/-	5062 - 8 -		
36 7/8 @ 180/-	6592 8		
80 Pearls & 44 Emeralds beads	5345		
Gold mounting	1500	18500 - -	60725
4 cut rubies wt 7 3/4		2850	
One pair Drop Earrings set with 1 best cut Brilliant in each			3000
One Turpa or bracelet set with 87 fine choice selected brilliants all worked in elegant design			2850
			394282-1-9

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	Rs.	a.	P
To Brought forward	394	282	1-9
One Jadabillay set with fine good colored cut rubies Jammed quite close together with a fine best cut rose diamond in centre with a circle of best cut roses 36 in number as a border	2850	0	0
	397	132	1-9

Rupees Three lakhs, ninety seven thousand one hundred & thirty two, annas one-pies nine only.

T. R. Tawker & Sons.

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Bangalore,
2nd August 1900

My dear Narasimmiengar,

Your letter dated 31st ultimo, submitting Messrs Ranganatha Jewlers and Sons' bill for Rs: 397/132. 1. 9 on account of purchase of Jewels during the recent marriages. I shall arrange to meet 2 lacs of this amount from other sources. You must manage to pay the rest from your current and next years' Budgets, if you cannot pay the whole of Rs: 197/132. 1. 9 out of the 12 lacs for the years 1900. 1901.

With a view to this, please make a careful study of the details of all

your expenditure and let me know what saving (however small it may be) you can effect under each head of expenditure. On hearing from you, I shall submit the whole matter to Her Highness and solicit orders as to causing the needful savings effected.

I shall be glad to get your reply to this in the course of the next few days.

Yours Sincerely,

Sd/ K. Sheshadri Iyer.

Mysore,
23 Aug. 1900

My dear Sir,

I am now able to answer Sir K. Sheshadri Iyer's D.O. of 2nd inst., on the subject of utilizing Palace Funds towards meeting part of the Durbar Expenses.

Having carefully examined

the various items of Expenditure provided in the Palace Budget for the current year, I regret my utter inability to state any portion of the 12 lakhs, which forms the Civil list, for the purpose indicated. The demands on the Palace are expected to amount to the full Extent of the Budget Estimates.

But I may be permitted to suggest that about Rs 9 8000 under personal estate, which is realized in the shape of interest and miscellaneous Receipts, may be appropriated towards the Excess mentioned in the letter under reply. This item has been used heretofore for the adjustment of the deficit balances shown against the Police for the last 3 years.

and is available still. The amount required by the K. Sharkara Iyer can thus be obtained in about 2 years.

I remain,
Yours very sincerely,
V. Ramaswamy Iyer

Raja Dharma Pravina,
T. Rm. A. Thumboo Chetti Esq.
C.I.E

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore

Order:- No. 22 D.C. Palace
Bangalore, 3rd August 1900 -

The Comptroller is requested to pay Rupees three lacs ninety seven thousand one hundred and thirty two, annas one and pies nine only (Rs. 3,97,132-1-9) to Messrs. T. Ranganatha Tawker & Sons of Madras, debiting the same against the Civil List grant of 14 lacs for the current year. Her Highness has already directed that there would be no payment of two lacs this year, to the Palace Special Investment Fund.

Assistant Secretary.

To

The Comptroller, Mysore Government

Copy to the Palace Controller with reference to his D.O. dated 31st July 1900, submitting for orders - Messrs. T. R. Tawker & Sons' bill for Rs. 3,97,132-1-9 which is herewith forwarded for file in Palace Treasury.

By Order,

Assistant Secretary.